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TO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

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TAGS: BENC, IV, FR

SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: TELECOMMUNICATIONS SWITCHING
- PROJECT

REF: ABIDJAN 865

1. ALAN R. BRENNECKE, VICE PRESIDENT, PHOENIX CORPORATION
WILL ARRIVE ABIDJAN LATE THIS WEEK. BRENNECKE WILL
CONTACT EMBASSY WHEN HE ARRIVES.

2. WE HAVE ALSO LEARNED OF TWO DEVELOPMENTS AT WORLD
BANK. IBRD RECEIVED CABLE FROM BANCOULI STATING THAT
CONTRACT FOR PORTION OF SWITCHING EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN
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SIGNED WITH FRENCH. IBRD HAS NOT YET SEEN COPY OF CONTRACT
OR ANY OTHER DOCUMENTATION..

3. IBRD VICE PRESIDENT CHAUFFONNIERE ARRIVING ABIDJAN
THIS WEEK OR NEXT. PRIMARY PURPOSE OF TRIP IS CONFERENCE
WITH WEST AFRICAN PRESS CORPS ALTHOUGH, UNDOUBTEDLY,
SUBJECT PROJECT WILL ALSO BE ADDRESSED. JAMES CHAFFEY,

DIVISION CHIEF IN WEST AFRICA BUREAU OF IBRD WILL JOIN
CHAUFFONNIERE ON OR ABOUT FEBRUARY 14. EMBASSY MAY WISH
CONTACT LOCAL IBRD REP GELIE IN ORDER SEEK OPPORTUNITY

DISCUSS PROJECT DEVELOPMENTS WITH CHAUFFONNIERE WHILE
HE IN ABIDJAN.
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